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NASA Document Names Preferred Launch, Landing Sites for X-33

NASA has released the Final Environmental Impact Statement on the development and flight testing of the Marshall-managed X-33 Advanced Technology Demonstrator. The 14-month study evaluated seven sites for potential use as launch and landing sites for X-33. The document names a site near Haystack Butte, Calif., as the preferred launch site. Preferred landing sites are Silurian Lake, Calif.; Michael Army Air Field, Utah; and Malmstrom Air Force Base, Mont.

On NASA TV

Shuttle-Mir Mission
Status Briefing, 3 p.m.
Tues.

Shuttle-Mir Mission
Update, 5 p.m. Tues.

Mir Spacewalk, 1:44 -
6:34 p.m. Wed.

ASRI to Provide Fabrication, Assembly Services at Marshall

AI Signal Research, Inc., in Huntsville, has been awarded a contract by Marshall to provide hardware fabrication and assembly, design and test services beginning Oct. 1. Work to be performed under the contract will include operation of a high-precision machine shop. If all options are exercised, the contract would be worth as much as \$75.3 million.